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§1412.606 Acreage reports.

As a condition of eligibility for direct and counter-cyclical payments, the operator or owner must submit a report of all cropland acreage on the farm in accordance with part 718 of this title. If such operator or owner does not report all cropland acreage on the farm in accordance with part 718 of this title, the contract shall be terminated with respect to such farm unless the provisions part 718 of this title are applicable

§ 1412.607 Compliance with highly erodible land and wetland conservation provisions.

The provisions of part 12 of this title apply to this part.

§ 1412.608 Controlled substance violations.

The provisions of part 718 of this title apply to this part.

Subpart G—Establishment and Assignment of Peanut Base Acres and Yields for a Farm

SOURCE: 67 FR 64751, Oct. 21, 2002, unless otherwise noted.

§ 1412.701 Determination of 4-year peanut acreage average.

- (a) The Deputy Administrator shall determine, for each historic peanut producer under this part, the 4-year average of the following:
- (1) The acreage planted to peanuts on each farm on which the historic peanut producer planted peanuts for harvest for the 1998 through 2001 crop years; and
- (2) Any acreage on each farm that the historic peanut producer was prevented from planting to peanuts during the 1998 through 2001 crop years because of natural disaster, or any other condition beyond the control of the historic peanut producers, as determined by the Deputy Administrator.
- (b) For the purposes of determining the 4-year acreage average for a historic peanut producer under this part, the Deputy Administrator shall not exclude any crop year in which the producer did not plant peanuts.

- (c) If more than one historic peanut producer shared in the risk of producing the crop on a farm, the historic peanut producers shall receive the proportional share of the number of acres planted or prevented from being planted to peanuts for harvest on the farm, based on the sharing arrangement that was in effect among the producers for the crop.
- (d) When a historic peanut producer is no longer living or when an entity composed of historic peanut producers has been dissolved, and in other similar situations, the Deputy Administrator shall make the base determinations under this subpart in the manner determined to be fair and reasonable.

§ 1412.702 Determination of average peanut yield.

- (a) The Deputy Administrator shall determine, for each historic peanut producer, the average yield for peanuts on each farm the historic peanut producer planted peanuts for harvest for the 1998 through 2001 crop years, excluding any crop year in which the producer did not plant or was prevented from planting peanuts. Production information reported according to part 729 of this chapter will be used by the Deputy Administrator for determining yields under this section.
- (b)(1) For the purposes of determining the 4-year average yield for a historic peanut producer under paragraph (a) of this section, the historic peanut producer may elect to substitute for a farm for not more than 3 of the 1998 through 2001 crop years in which the historic peanut producer planted peanuts on the farm, the average harvested yield for peanuts produced in the county in which the farm is located for the 1990 through 1997 crop years.
- (2) The average harvested yield for peanuts produced in a county which will be used in paragraph (b)(1) of this section shall be the NASS irrigated and non-irrigated yields or, in States and counties where the irrigated and non-irrigated NASS data is unavailable, the NASS blended yield for the county.
- (3) If NASS harvested peanut yield data is unavailable, for the purposes